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In re Application of	:	
David Bumstead, et. al.	:	
Application No. 10/677,090	:	DECISION ON PETITION
Filed: September 30, 2003	:	TO WITHDRAW FROM
Attorney Docket No. HAMMP003	:	RECORD

This is a decision on the Request to Withdraw as attorney or agent of record under 37 CFR § 1.36(b), filed July 23, 2009.

The request is **APPROVED**.

A grantable request to withdraw as attorney/agent of record must be signed by every attorney/agent seeking to withdraw or contain a clear indication that one attorney is signing on behalf of another/others.

The request was signed by Lee Van Pelt on behalf of all attorneys/agents of record who are associated with customer No. 21912. Therefore, Lee Van Pelt and all the attorneys/agents of record who are associated with customer No. 21912 have been withdrawn.

Applicant is reminded that there are no attorneys/agents of record at this time.

The request to change the correspondence of record is not acceptable[1] as the requested correspondence address is not that of: (1) the first named signing inventor; or (2) an intervening assignee of the entire interest under 37 C.F.R 3.71. All future communications from the Office will continue to be directed to the above listed address until otherwise properly notified by the applicant.

There is an outstanding Office action mailed April 16, 2009 that requires a reply from applicant.

This application is being referred to Technology Center Art Unit 2457 to await a response to the Office action mailed April 16, 2009.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3226.

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[1] The Office will no longer change the correspondence address to that of a new practitioner unless the Request is accompanied by a power of attorney to a new practitioner (*See* USPTO Form PTO/SB/82).